(SHRI S. REGUPATHY). (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. A National Programme for Awareness Generation as a part of overall disaster risk management strategy has already been udnertaken A Steering Committee for this purpose has been constituted at the National level with representatives from diverse streams of media & communication sector including Doordarshan, All India Radio, DAVP etc. The public awareness campaign already launched includes broadcast of spots by AIR through National, FM and Regional Channels and by DAVP through bus back panel and wall painting at block, Tehsil and district levels in the most vulnerable States/Union Territories, Urban Earthquake Vulnerability Reduction Project which is a component of Government of India-UNDP Disaster Risk Management Programme is under implementation in 38 cities having a population of more than five lakh falling in seismic zone III, IV or V. The Project provides for creation of awareness about earthquake vulnerability and possible preventive actions to be taken among the Government functionaries, Technical Institute, Urban Local Bodies, Regulatory Agencies (Municipal Corporation, Development Authorities, practicing engineers/architects, builders etc.), Resident Welfare Association and Communities.

Cases of car jacking in Delhi

4425. SHRI R.S. GAVAI:
SHRI LALIT SURI:
DR. VIJAY MALLYA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases of car jacking reported in Delhi during 2003 and 2004, month-wise;

(b) the number of cases out of them which were solved, vehicles recovered and restored to the owners;

(c) the number of cases which were closed as untraceable during the period; and

(d) the special efforts made/proposed to be made by Delhi Police to

reduce such cases to the minimum?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY): (a) to (c) The requisite information is given in the enclosed statement (*See* below).

(d) The steps taken by Delhi Police to reduce such cases to the minimum are given below:

(i) Anti-Auto Theft Squad has been formed in every District especially to keep close watch on the activities of car-jackers operating in their areas, or to neutralise gangs involved in car jacking.

(ii) Check posts at all borders have been set up and the staff deployed there is regularly brief/instructed in this regard.

(iii) Crime Branch has been targeting desperate criminals indulging in the activities of car jacking.

(iv) Division Officers/beat Constables keeps close watch on the activities of suspected persons indulging in the car jacking.

(v) Police personnel in plain cloths are deployed to collect Intelligence and apprehend the organized gangs of car jackers.

(vi) Motorcycle patrolling has been intensified near parking area during peak hours.

(vii) Information is exchanged/passed to neighbouring states.

(viii) The data regarding car jackers operating in Delhi with their description and involvement has been compiled and circulated to all Police stations.

(ix) Decoy vehicles are deployed to lay traps to apprehend car jackers.

(x) Etching of windshield is being done.

(xi) Information of stolen/recovered Cars is also being exchanged through Delhi Police Web-site.

(xii) Short Messaging Service has been introduced by Crime Branch

in Delhi to faclitate in recovery/linking of stolen vehicles.

(xiii) Pickets have been put all over Delhi and the staffs deployed do regular checking of vehicles. They also keep a record of vehicles stolen/hijacked.

(xiv) Zonal Integrated Police Network started with border District of Haryana, U.P. & Rajasthan for on-line exchange of information regarding crime including Car-jackers.

Statement

No. of cases of car jacking and details thereof

Year-2003

Month	No. of cases of car jacking reported	No. of cases solved	No. of vehicle recovered	No. of vehicle restored to the owner	No. of cases closed as untraced
January	2	2	2	2	0
February	2	1	1	1	1
March	2	2	2	2	0
April	3	3	3	3	0
May	6	3	5	5	2
June	2	2	2	2	0
July	3	3	3	3	0
August	2	—	—	—	—
September	4	2	2	2	1
October	3	1	3	3	1
November	4	3	2	2	1
December	—	—	—	—	—

Year 2004

Month	No. of cases of car jacking reported	No. of cases solved	No. of vehicle recovered	No. of vehicle restored to the owner	No. of cases closed as untraced
January	4	2	3	3	0
February	11	11	10	10	0
March	5	5	5	5	0
April	1	1	1	1	0
May	3	3	3	3	0
June	3	2	2	2	0
July	4	4	4	4	0
August	5	4	4	4	0
September	7	7	7	7	0
October	7	5	4	4	0
November	3	3	3	3	0
December	6	4	4	4	0

VIP security

4426. SHRI C. RAMACHANDRAIAH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the categories of providing security cover to VVIP's and VIP's;

(b) what are the criteria for receiving 'Z' plus security;

(c) what security cover is eligible for each category; and

(d) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) The categories of security cover provided to VVIP's and VIP's are X, Y, Z and Z plus.

(b) to (d) The security cover is provided to the Protected Persons, as per a comprehensive assessment of threat, made for them by the security